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AMENDMENTSIn the Drawings

In Fig. 5 in step 102 replace "Vendor" with "Bank".

In the Specification

On page 18, third paragraph, line 9 replace "vendor" with "bank".

On page 26, fourth paragraph, line 18 replace "re" with "are".

In the Claims

Claims 1-60 were originally filed.

Claims 1-41, 51-60 are provisionally elected to be prosecuted.

Claims 42-50 are canceled without prejudice.

Claims 6, 17, and 58 are amended.